

SAIDOVINA NEW NAME FOR *LOXOSTOMINA*
SAIDOVA, 1975 (NON SELLIER DE CIVRIEUX, 1968)
AND THE STATUS OF *LOXOSTOMELLA* SAIDOVA,
1975 (FORAMINIFERIDA)

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Saidova (1975) established the genus *Loxostomina* (type-species *Bolivina karrieriana* Brady, 1884) for specimens retrieved from Recent tropical Pacific Ocean sediments.

The same generic name, with type-species *Bolivina mayori* Cushman, 1923, had previously been used by Sellier de Civrieux (1968) to accommodate Recent Floridean specimens.

A new name is required for *Loxostomina* Saidova, 1975, a junior homonym of *Loxostomina* Sellier de Civrieux, 1968, ICZN (Art. 53), and *Saidovina* is herein proposed. The new name is constructed in honor of K. M. Saidova in recognition of her contributions to the knowledge of Quaternary Foraminifera.

Bolivina mayori Cushman, 1922, selected as type-species for the genus *Loxostomina* by Sellier de Civrieux (1968), was also selected by Saidova (1975) as the type-species for the genus *Loxostomella* (although erroneously ascribing authorship date to Cushman, 1924). *Loxostomella* is therefore a junior objective synonym of *Loxostomina* Sellier de Civrieux, 1968 (ICZN Art. 61b).

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